

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

May 11, 2000

William C. Miller, Jr., Treasurer U.S. Chamber PAC/NCAP 1615 H Street, NW Washington, DC 20062

Identification Number:

C00082040

Reference:

February Monthly Report (1/1/00-1/31/00)

Dear Mr. Miller.

This letter is to inform you that as of May 10, 2000, the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated April 19, 2000. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by May 31, 2000. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Neil Evans on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson

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Assistant Staff Director Reports Analysis Division



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Dear Mr. Miller:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

Your calculations for Line 6(d), Column B appear to be incorrect. FEC calculations disclose this amount(s) to be \$248,876.23. Please provide the corrected total(s) on the Summary Page.

-Be advised that you have used an incorrect committee identification number on the Sunanary Page of your report(s). Please file all future reports and correspondence using your correct identification number, C00082040, to avoid potential errors in entering your reports onto the public record.

-Your report includes computer produced formats of the Summary Page, Detailed Summary Page and Schedules A and B. Computer produced formats may only be used upon prior approval of the Commission. You should submit a separate sample format with a cover letter requesting approval. Until your format has been approved, FEC forms must be used. 11 CFR §104.2(d)

If the software your committee is using to produce the Schedules of the FEC FORM 3X does not allow you to electronically file your report, you may want to call the vendor who produced your software to inquire about the availability of a software upgrade that includes electronic filing. A

number of commercial software companies have added electronic filing capability to their products. A list of these companies is available on the FEC web site, http://www.fec.gov.

Alternatively, freeware (FECfile) available from the FEC, can help you complete and file your reports electronically. It installs easily, computerizes every schedule in the FEC FORM 3X, contains features to help you avoid common errors, allows you to file electronically, and has free technical support for your questions. You may obtain your free copy by downloading FECfile from our web site, http://www.fec.gov, or by calling the Electronic Filing Office at (202) 694-1307.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Neil Evans

Reports Analyst

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